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The Examiner is informed that with respect to the two Braden et al. references listed on the PTO-1449, there were earlier versions which neither Applicant nor Applicant's representative can obtain copies of. Specifically, for the article "Recommendations on Queue Management and Congestion Avoidance in the Internet," dated April 1998. Applicant believes there was a draft dated March 1997. Regarding the article entitled "Resource Reservation Protocol Version 1 Functional Specification," Applicant believes that there was an October 1996 version of the draft, but Applicant was only able to obtain a copy of a September 1997 version of the draft. Moreover, the article "Quality of Service Aspects" has been listed on the PTO-1449 to bring the existence of this article to the Examiner's attention. However, after a search of files and the Internet, a copy of this document could not be obtained.

The Examiner is requested to initial the attached form PTO-1449 and to return a copy of the initialed document to the undersigned as an indication that the attached references have been considered and made of record.

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